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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 703

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(As Amended)

**"AN ACT CONCERNING FIRE SAFE CIGARETTES AND APPEALS
OF DECISIONS BY LOCAL TREE WARDENS."**

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2007*) (a) As used in this
4 section, "smoke" or "smoking" means the lighting or carrying of a
5 lighted cigarette, cigar, pipe or similar device.

6 (b) (1) No person shall smoke in a motor vehicle, whether in motion
7 or at rest, when there is a child six years of age or under or weighing
8 less than sixty pounds and required under subsection (d) of section 14-
9 100a of the general statutes to be secured in a child restraint system in
10 such vehicle. (2) A person who holds a cigarette, cigar, pipe or similar
11 device to, or in the immediate proximity of, his or her mouth while

12 such vehicle is in motion or at rest is presumed to be smoking within
13 the meaning of this section. The presumption established by this
14 subdivision is rebuttable by evidence tending to show that the person
15 was not smoking in the motor vehicle.

16 (c) Any person found guilty of smoking in violation of subsection
17 (b) of this section shall have committed an infraction."